

FORCED BACK TOWARD YPRES, ALLIES STIFFEN THEIR DEFENSE AND HOLD ALL POINTS IN THE FACE OF FIERCE FIGHTING

French Regained Positions From Lore to La Clytte, West of Mont Kemmel and South of Ypres and the British Hold at Veormezeele

LATTER TOOK HUNDREDS OF PRISONERS IN LONG BATTLE

Allies Continue Their Successful Counter Attacks on the Amiens Front and Gain Considerable Ground Toward Relieving Pressure on Railroad

London, April 27.—Continuing their counter-attacks east of Amiens, the allies have gained further advantages in the Hangard and Villers-Bretonneux sector. It was announced officially to-day that the French have recaptured positions from Lore to LaClytte in Flanders, west of Mont Kemmel. The fighting on the Flanders front north of the Lys river was very severe. The enemy advance was held at all points, and heavy losses were inflicted on the Germans.

The Germans made a heavy attack south of Ypres. There was a long battle for Veormezeele, two miles south of Ypres, which the British retained, taking hundreds of prisoners.

Nine German Divisions Against Kemmel

The capture of Mont Kemmel was told in Haig's official communication last night, which was as follows:

"North of the Lys river the battle is continuing fiercely on the whole front from the neighborhood of Dranoutre to the Ypres-Comines canal. The enemy has gained possession of Dranoutre, Kemmel village and Mont Kemmel. The enemy's attack yesterday was made in great strength by nine German divisions.

"This morning the French and British troops counter-attacked and succeeded at first in making some progress, capturing a number of prisoners.

"Later in the day the enemy renewed his attack, directing his assaults with particular insistence against the positions from the Ypres-Comines canal. In the neighborhood of LaClytte and Scherpenberg all the enemy's attacks have been held, but after severe fighting in the course of which a series of determined attacks were repulsed with heavy losses to his troops, he succeeded in pressing our lines back in the direction of Loreo. On both sides of the Ypres-Comines canal the enemy also made some progress.

"Early this morning the French and British troops attacked the enemy position south of the Somme in the neighborhood of Hangard and Hangard wood and have carried their line forward at certain points by heavy fighting.

"On the remainder of the British front the situation remains unchanged."

ALLIES BREAK UP ATTACK AT THENNES ON AMIENS FRONT

Artillery Fighting Is Being Continued Between Villers-Bretonneux and Hangard, Paris War Office Reports.

Paris, April 27.—A German attack near Thennes on the front southeast of Amiens was broken up last night, the war office announced to-day. Artillery fighting continues between Villers-Bretonneux and Hangard.

"Counter attacks against the German lines from Villers-Bretonneux south of the Luce were launched this morning by our troops, who succeeded, despite fierce resistance of the enemy, who had brought up important forces, in retaking a large part of the ground which had been lost in that region," said the official statement last night.

SMALL TANKS EFFECTIVE.

Caused Great Slaughter Among German Troops.

With the British Army in France, April 28 (By the Associated Press).—The slaughter caused by the small British tanks among a concentration of the enemy near Cachy in Wednesday's fighting appears to have been even greater than was originally reported. A few of these little engines, which are much faster than the ordinary big tanks, made the assault so quickly on two or three battalions of the enemy's infantry which were forming for an attack that the Germans were unable to scatter before they were being fiercely deluged with machine gun bullets.

Not only that, but a large number of men were caught beneath the tanks and ground into the earth.

KEEPING TABS ON MEN.

War Department Wants List of All Class 1 Men in Vermont.

Adjutant General H. T. Johnson of Vermont has received from the war department a call for a list of all class 1 men in the draft who are qualified for full military service. It is supposed that this call is to be made on all the states, presumably to determine just how many men are available for service.

U. S. OFFICERS SUFFER HEAVILY

Many Lieutenants and Captains Included in Today's List

THERE ARE 10 NAMES OF OFFICERS AND MEN

Those Killed in Action Number 11, and Two Are Missing

Washington, D. C., April 27.—The casualty list to-day contained 103 names, as follows:

Killed in action, 11.
Died of disease, 4.
Died of wounds, 47.
Wounded severely, 37.
Wounded slightly, 37.
Missing in action, 2.

Lieut. John A. Hatt and Charles R. Long were killed in action. Lieut. J. Mooney and Charles S. Williams died of disease. Capt. John T. English and Lieut. Clement A. Fogarty, Richard R. Furlong and Harvey C. Updegrave were severely wounded. Lieut. William F. Andrews, Howard I. Denio and Samuel A. Tyler were slightly wounded. Lieut. Andrew S. Robinson is missing in action. Chaplain William J. Farrell was slightly wounded.

ACCUSE PROSECUTOR WITH WILLFUL FRAUD

On That Ground Thomas J. Mooney's Trial at San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., April 27.—The removal of the death sentence imposed upon Thomas J. Mooney, the setting aside of all previous proceedings in his case and a new trial will be moved in court next Thursday on the ground of willful fraud and malfeasance in office on the part of District Attorney Charles M. Fickert and his assistants. It was announced by Maxwell McNutt, Mooney's attorney.

GERMAN INTERNED STEAMER DESTROYED

The Prinz Eitel Friedrich, Which Was Tied Up at Colombian Port, Was Burned and Sunk.

Bogota, Colombia, April 27.—The German steamer Prinz Eitel Friedrich, which was interned at Puerto Colombia, burned and sank at her anchorage yesterday.

"MASSES" JURY DISCHARGED.

Reported After 40½ Hours They Couldn't Agree.

New York, April 27.—The jury in the case of Max Eastman and others associated with him in the Socialist publication, The Masses, reported to-day that they had been unable to agree. Judge Hand discharged the jury, which had been out 40½ hours. The defendants were accused of conspiring to defeat the operation of the draft law.

MONTPELIER

Michael Good appeared before the jail commissioners this morning and through his attorney, W. N. Theriault, presented evidence to show that he was without means, asking that he be given the right to take the poor debtors' oath. A. G. Fay for Henry Russ, opposed the action, but he was given the oath, and released from jail, where he has been since November. Dr. E. E. Johnson, who was to have come here the first of the week, did not arrive until Friday and this morning spoke to the teacher-training class of Montpelier seminary. Monday he will go to Barre to speak to the classes in the preparatory schools upon the care of the teeth. He is state director.

Rollin G. Reynolds of the boys' working reserve and will assume his duties as soon as the date connected with the work arrives from the national council of defense. Mr. Reynolds takes the place of Prof. Barnes of Norwich university, who resigned because he did not have the time needed for the work. This appointment couples the boys' working reserve with the state educational department in which there will be enrolled by the time that the schools close about 40,000 children. Last year there were 30,000 in the gardening, but they did not commence to enroll until late in the season. By a plan which has been worked out by Gov. Graham, the boys' working reserve and the state educational plan will work together. It is expected that better results will be obtained than if they were handled separately.

The presentation of "Yama Yama Land" occurred Friday evening in the Playhouse under the auspices of the Woman's club. It was staged by Harry E. Gage of Burlington in a very successful manner. A song sum was realized from the entertainment, the proceeds of which will be used by the club for charity purposes. The house was filled. The music was catchy. There was just enough of patriotic work in it to carry a good plot.

FRENCH ON STRICTER DIET.

Three Meatless Days a Week Is New Program.

Paris, April 27.—The introduction of three meatless days a week is announced in an official note.

TO GO WITH DRAFTED MEN.

Harold Miles Must Take Examination at Camp Devens.

Harold Miles of Granville experienced two penalties being imposed upon him Friday afternoon, the second of which came rather unexpectedly when he was ordered to report at the Montpelier & Wells River station next Tuesday morning to go to Camp Devens in company with other drafted men. This followed the sentence for larceny, to which he pleaded guilty shortly after 2 o'clock. Miles pleaded guilty to the charge of taking \$165 from his father.

State's Attorney Davis recommended a sentence and a fine, the latter of which to be paid in monthly installments to the state probation officer so that it would not come from the finances of his father. The sentence imposed was six to 18 months in the house of correction, which was suspended and the man placed on probation. He was then fined \$100, to be paid \$20 monthly. May being the first month.

Following the placing of Miles on probation the local board of exemption asked that he be brought to their office, which was done, and the man was then inducted into service. He failed to register last June and the department had been unable to locate him until lately. He was then advised that he would go to Camp Devens next week when the rest of the drafted men from Washington county go and take his examinations there instead of here.

Later in the afternoon it was found that the charge should have been that he was a slacker, and the action was shifted and arrangements made to bring him before Commissioner H. C. Shurtleff, so now the proceedings will be in the United States district court.

Miles was brought before Commissioner H. C. Shurtleff last evening on the charge of failing to register last June, and was bound over under bail, which he was able to furnish and was released.

LIKES ARMY LIFE.

Private Ira B. Harvey Now at Presidio, Texas, Writes.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Harvey of 9 Church street have received the following letter from their son, Private Ira B. Harvey, U. S. M. C. P. T., No. 13, Presidio, Texas, dated April 18:

"I don't know just when I will be at home again, but I am in hopes to come some time. I am a first-class private now, some class to your soldier boy. I get \$33 a month instead of \$30. That counts at the end of a year. When you write, tell me all the news in Barre. Make the letters big and fat. Write once a week anyway and more if you can."

"I like the army fine. I have received two letters from people I never saw. What do you think of that? It may be a little while before you hear from me again. I have run out of money and stamps, but just as quick as I can get some I will write."

FOUR GO ON TUESDAY.

They Will Leave Montpelier for Camp Devens.

Although two of the Washington county men in the call for next week will not go from Montpelier, two other men have been transferred at Montpelier for induction, so that four will go from that city. These are Joe Lavin of Detroit, Mich., and Pietro Duchini of a county board in Georgia. The other two Washington county men who will go from here are Benjie Prestini of Barre and Louis Heney of Montpelier. Sam Nunn will go from Leonistier, Mass., and Leonard Petruzzelli from Farmington, Me.

These men will report at the local board Monday evening and after taking supper at Montpelier will wait until Tuesday morning, leaving for Camp Devens.

ORDERED INTO SERVICE.

Harold K. Smith of Montpelier to Report May 11.

Harold K. Smith, a former Montpelier high school athlete, has been ordered to report at Boston on May 11 to attend the military school of aeronautics at Massachusetts of Technology. He is one of 54 men called in New England.

Other Vermont men ordered to report for the same service are: Joseph H. Moore, St. Johnsbury, and Patrick P. Griffin, Wallingford.

March M. Bryington of Charlotte has been commissioned as second lieutenant in the U. S. Signal Reserve corps.

SUES RAILROAD

To Get Value of Coal Delivered to Another Barre Dealer.

In county court this morning the trial of the case of Morse & Jackson vs. the Central Vermont railway was tried. This is a suit brought by the plaintiff to recover the value of a 40-ton car of coal, which was by mistake of the railway employees delivered to the head of D. M. Miles company. The plaintiff wants payment of the coal at the market value of \$10 a ton, while the railway wants to pay for the coal at the price to the dealer, or a little over \$6 a ton. The railway company agreed to substitute the coal on the next carload which came to Miles, but this was not agreed to, and the suit was brought to recover the value of the coal.

The divorce case of Georgia Moody vs. W. H. Moody was heard this morning. This is brought for intolerable severity. The plaintiff is mother of eight children and claimed her husband had been abusive all their married life.

Hearings on Discharge of Bankrupts.

In bankruptcy court notices have been sent to the creditors of D. S. Corlies of Marshfield that the discharge meeting will take place in the office of the referee, W. N. Theriault, May 27. On the same day the creditors of Henry Powers of Barre have been notified to be present to show cause why Mr. Powers should not be discharged as bankrupt.

VERMONT BEATS HER BOND QUOTA

She Passed the Mark To-day with Over \$100,000 to Spare

IS FIRST STATE IN NEW ENGLAND

State Chairman Darling Announced at Burlington To-day

Burlington, April 27.—State Chairman Charles H. Darling of the Liberty loan campaign in Vermont announced to-day that Vermont had exceeded her quota by more than \$100,000 and, furthermore, that Vermont is the first of the New England states to reach that goal. There is still more than a week remaining before the end of the campaign and it is expected that Vermont will go well toward doubling her quota.

NATIONAL TABULATION GIVES \$2,113,998,350

Liberty Loan Returns Are Being Received So Fast in Washington That the Force Cannot Keep Up.

Washington, D. C., April 27.—Partial reports on Liberty day sales raised the loan total to-day to \$2,113,998,350.

BARRE MUST HUSTLE

If It Is to Secure Honor Flag in the Third Liberty Loan.

By the first of the week it is expected that returns from the Wednesday drive for Liberty bond subscriptions and the subsequent sales will have been carefully tabulated by the four banks. Conservative estimates of the amount already subscribed indicate that a relatively large number of people must do their duty next week if Barre is to unfurl the honor flag which the Liberty loan committee of New England is awarding towns and cities that have reached their quotas. Counter sales are fairly brisk, according to reports from the banks to-day, but much depends upon the attitude of people who did not respond when the canvassers called on them in midweek.

BOOMED BOND SALE.

Brattleboro Had Parade of About 2,500 People.

Brattleboro, April 27.—With approximately 2,500 persons in line, the Liberty day parade here yesterday afternoon was a highly successful affair and the largest parade ever held here in point of numbers. About 60 organizations were represented, including practically all the patriotic, fraternal, civic and educational bodies in the town. Many of them were in uniform and all carried flags or banners. More than 5,000 persons looked on, making a crowd of about 8,000 persons whose thoughts were centered upon the occasion. Major Linn D. Taylor was chief marshal and Edward J. Fenton was chairman of the parade committee. After the parade there was patriotic speaking by Horton D. Walker, county chairman of the Liberty loan committee, Rev. D. E. Truette, Lieut. Lester Collier of New York, home on furlough from the French army, Capt. Frank Elliot of the Canadian expeditionary force, home because of wounds, and Sergt. Edward Carson of Northampton, Mass., of the 14th United States engineers, wounded and sent home. Liberty bonds to the amount of about \$45,000 were sold.

WILL PROVEN IN GERMANY.

Charlotte L. Washburn's Estate in Washington County Probate Court.

In probate court Mrs. Caroline W. Lord of Burlington has settled her account of the estate of Charlotte L. Washburn, who died in Germany, and whose will was proven in that country. She died since the war commenced. Following the settlement Mrs. Lord resigned, and Miss Alice Delano of Burlington was appointed executrix de bonis non, with will annexed, of the estate. The estate is practically ready to be closed, but Miss Delano was one of the two persons named in the will as desired executrix, therefore Mrs. Lord had resigned, and Miss Delano was appointed to complete the work.

Silvio Cardil of Barre has been appointed administrator of the estate of A. M. Rossi, late of Barre, while Irene C. Rossi has been appointed guardian of Roberto Rossi, a minor. M. C. Anderson of Waterbury Center has been appointed as guardian of Artelle Lyon of that place.

HAD LIBERTY PARADE

And Afterwards a Mass Meeting in Rutland.

Rutland, April 27.—This city celebrated Liberty day with a parade last evening in which boy scouts, Trinity church cadets, Company B, Volunteer militia, and Christopher Columbus lodge, Sons of Italy, took part, led by the Italian band. The procession wound up with a mass meeting for men only at the Shrine theatre at which Rev. Dr. Thomas Travis of Montclair, N. J., told some things about the war from actual observation.

QUOTA EXCEEDED.

East Montpelier Has Subscribed \$12,800 to Liberty Bond.

The chairman of the Liberty loan drive of North Montpelier reports \$12,800 subscribed. The Little Woolen company heads the list with a subscription of \$10,000, which puts the town of East Montpelier over the top.

PRESENT SALARIES VOTED TO OFFICIALS

Slimly Attended City Meeting Soon Disposed of the Business on Hand.

It just missed being an ordinary conference of city officials when the regular city meeting was called to order in the city hall last evening. There were seven voters in the hall when City Clerk Mackay read the call, and before the five minutes required to transact business had elapsed, four more meandered into the meeting. Actually the meeting consumed fewer than five minutes. Former Alderman Edwin Keast was elected moderator, and thereafter only two motions, quickly carried, were sandwiched between the reading of the call and adjournment. It was voted unanimously to retain the city clerk and city treasurer at his present salary, and by virtue of the second motion, the aldermen, assessors and auditors are to receive the same compensation voted them a year ago.

Conspicuous by their absence were the women voters who sought the franchise so eagerly a few weeks ago. Yet the interest shown by the male electorate does not redound greatly to its credit, for the attendance was far smaller than at any city meeting in recent years.

CLEAN-UP WEEK AT HAND.

Barre Officials Call on Householders to Co-operate.

Clean-up week will be inaugurated in Barre Monday morning. The aldermanic health and street committee are prepared to prosecute a vigorous campaign against the winter's accumulation of rubbish, but their efforts will fall far short of expectations unless householders evince a disposition to co-operate. In most respects the drive on dirt will follow well-defined lines, for the rubbish collectors are to use the schedule adopted a year ago when weekly collections were made. The auto truck from the street department and two or three trailers are to figure in the rubbish canvass, but clean-up week is not to begin and end with rubbish collections alone. Household holders who have not already used the broom on their premises are urged to have ashes hauled away, to spruce up their lawns, and at least to begin to think about painting during the week appointed by the city council.

Although weekly collections are not to be continued this season, there will be monthly garbage collections until November, and throughout the spring, summer and fall the street department will adhere to the schedule printed below. Next week the collection begins on Monday and continues through the week. In each month, on a day designated by the city council, the collectors will begin their rounds. So far as possible the collections next week and in the months to follow will be made according to the following schedule:

Monday—Both sides Elm, East street extension, High Park, Trenton, Easton avenue, East, North, Averill, Church, Jefferson, Academy and Mount streets, Highland avenue, Maple Grove, Currier street, Grandview avenue, Camp, Nelson, Patterson and Charles streets, Hill street above Washington, both sides of Washington to Nelson, Bolster street.

Tuesday—North Main from Blackwell to city hall, Keith avenue, Pearl, Merchant, West, Seminary, Cottage, Central, Short streets, Addison place, Summer, Franklin, Walnut, Wellington, Beacon, Burns, Johnson, Warren, Plain, Midway, Churchill, Long, Water, Bank, Cable and Brewin streets.

Wednesday—Maple avenue, Forsythe place, Seminary street, north Main, Main, Laurel and Brook streets, Harrington avenue, Reid and Farrell streets, Elmwood avenue, Newton, Pleasant, Spring and Madison streets, Hamilton, Beckley, Perrin, Prospect streets, Hillside avenue, First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth streets, North Main from Sixth to Blackwell.

Thursday—South Main from city hall to Quarry street, Glenwood and Webster avenues, Elmore, Cherry, Orchard, Quarry, Hale, Division, Holland, Circle, Nichols, Birch, Green, Boyce, Lewis, Spring, Valley, Batchelder, Ayers, Murray and Kirk streets, Hill from South Main to Washington, Liberty, Orange, West Patterson and Webster streets, Trow avenue, Huntington avenue, Lords alley, Richardson, French, Perry and Spaulding streets.

Friday—Brooklyn, Branch, Fairview, Everett, Leonard, Allen, Clark and Kinney streets, Garfield avenue, Lincoln and Prospect streets, Grant and Cleveland and Madison avenues, Granite, Bassett, Foster, River Center, George, Howard, Pike, Oswald, James, John and Thomas streets.

Saturday—Blackwell, Comoli, Relvidere, Humbert, High Holborn, Cambria, Elliston, Railroad, Berlin streets, Berlin place, Foss, Smith, Vine, Willey, Acton, Auburn, North, Front and Ladd streets, and Scamplin square.

The city rubbish collectors will not take stones, sods, ashes, leaves, liquids or decayed matter. No containers must weigh more than 100 pounds, and no rubbish should be placed at the curb before the day of collection.

COUNTY S. S. CONVENTION

Will Be Held in Trinity Church, Montpelier, May 8.

The annual convention of the Washington County Sunday School association will be held in Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, Montpelier, Wednesday, May 8. This is a convention of only three sessions and dinner and supper will be served free to all delegates. Any desiring to remain in Montpelier over night should notify S. C. Hutchinson, 29 First avenue, Montpelier, on or before May 6.

The program for the meetings is as follows:

Morning session—10:30, worship service, Dr. Mead, pastor of Trinity M. E. church, Montpelier; 10:45, county president's greetings, Rev. Edgar Crossland, Barre; appointment of committees; 11:10, address, Rev. Wesley G. Mead, Ph. D., Montpelier; 11:45, conference, elementary Miss M. C. Warren, adult C. A. Boyd, home department Miss Cummings; 12:30, dinner.

Afternoon session—2, worship service, Rev. C. Piper, Montpelier, pastor Baptist church; 2:30, address, Miss Warren, state elementary superintendent, theme, "Keeping Up with the Times"; 2:50, address, Rev. William Shaw, Ph. D., state president; 3:30, annual survey of Washington county, county officers; 4:15, address, "Some Logical Deductions," Rev. A. C. Boyd, general secretary.

Evening session—7:30, praise service; 8, Scripture memorization contest; 8:45, singing, "The Little Wooden company heads the list with a subscription of \$10,000, which puts the town of East Montpelier over the top."

CO. C MEMBER BADLY INJURED

Private Oney E. Lanciault Was Injured in Battle on April 19

FATHER GOES TO WASHINGTON FROM VERMONT

It Is Supposed That Private Lanciault Was in Battle of Seicheprey

Private Oney E. Lanciault, who went out from Barre as a member of the old Co. C in the First Vermont regiment, was severely wounded on April 20, according to a telegram received by his father, Ernest Lanciault, at Brookfield last evening. The date when the injury was received is taken to indicate that Private Lanciault was in the battle of Seicheprey when a regiment of picked Germans, headed by special shock troops, attacked the American lines, carrying the defenses and capturing the village of Seicheprey, only to be driven out promptly by a counter-attack participated in by the Americans and French.

The parents of Private Lanciault received a letter from their son yesterday morning in which he stated he could not write very much because "we are very busy." He wrote that things were "pretty lively" but he liked it first rate, being in excellent health. He told about being recently transferred to a contingent from Hartford, Conn. The letter was written on April 5.

Private Lanciault will be 22 years old on May 31. He was born in Barre and lived most of his life here, where he is well known. He went to Plainfield when his father moved there. His parents moved to Brookfield last November. When Company C was forming in Barre last summer young Lanciault responded to the call for volunteers and went to Fort Ethan Allen with the regiment. Later he was transferred to the 101st Machine Gun company and was with that unit when it sailed for France. His parents are anxiously awaiting further news from their son. There are four other children in the family, three daughters and a son.

PRIVATE G. J. MASON INJURED.

Son of East Montpelier Woman Is Now in a Hospital.

Mrs. Merton Mason of East Montpelier has received a letter from her son, Private Gerald J. Mason, who went out with one of the Barre companies, stating that he is in a base hospital recovering from wounds.

BUSY DODGING SHELLS.

First Class Private Ralph Lawliss Writes to Mother in Barre.

First class Private Ralph Lawliss of Co. M, 102d U. S. infantry, writes his mother, Mrs. E. Lawliss of 9 Kirk street, Barre, under dates of March 28 and 29, that he has been under fire and has had some exciting experiences. He tells of battling the "cooties," which Lieut. Keene described during his recent address in Barre.

Speaking of receiving a box from home, Lawliss writes: "The fruit cake was wonderful and it seemed good to get a good taste of home made stuff after coming out of the trenches. I haven't received Clyde's box of smokes yet but do wish they would come as I am in great need of some."

"Well, we had quite an experience in the trenches. We just came out and have just landed at our rest camp after a five day hike. If I could get back to the U. S. I would make an attempt to walk across the continent."

"Most of the time we were under heavy artillery fire and it certainly gave every man a sensation that he shall never forget."

"I was a messenger in our battalion with center other fellows and we were kept running here and there. No matter what the scene was outside, if a message came in we had to go. There was one great thing that happened that I would like to tell you about, but I know it would not pass the censor. All I have got to say is that this war is surely hell."

"I had a fine shower bath this evening and here is hoping that I have got rid of those crawlers that increase on your underwear, for they have nearly drove me crazy the last month as I had not had any chance to bathe or change my clothes. For instance, I will remark that for nearly two months I never took my clothes off with the exception of my shoes and leggings. But you can't imagine how I feel to-night. Everything I have on now is clean all the way through."

"March 29. I must finish this afternoon, otherwise it won't go out. It is raining and the wind is blowing. I have a good job now doing clerical work in my battalion headquarters. Well, fellows are to serve the ensuing six months: President, Alex. Ironside of the granitizers; vice-president, Cyrus R. Hall of the carpenters; financial and recording secretary, Angus McDonald of the bartenders; treasurer, Fred W. Suit of the lumpers, boxers and derelicts; sergeant-at-arms, L. J. Parsons of the carpenters; auditors, James Cruickshank of the granitizers; Wesley Hoffman of the cigar makers; Cyrus Hall; three members to act in conjunction with the president and secretary as an executive board, James Cruickshank, James G. H. Barry of the typographical union, and F. W. Saffery, librarian, Amusements and offering, 8:55, address, Rev. Wm. Shaw, state president.

Officers for Semi-Annual Term Were Chosen Last Evening.

Officers for the ensuing six months were elected and important labor subjects were discussed at the meeting of the Central Labor union of Barre and vicinity last evening. The following officers are to serve the ensuing six months: President, Alex. Ironside of the granitizers; vice-president, Cyrus R. Hall of the carpenters; financial and recording secretary, Angus McDonald of the bartenders; treasurer, Fred W. Suit of the lumpers, boxers and derelicts; sergeant-at-arms, L. J. Parsons of the carpenters; auditors, James Cruickshank of the granitizers; Wesley Hoffman of the cigar makers; Cyrus Hall; three members to act in conjunction with the president and secretary as an executive board, James Cruickshank, James G. H. Barry of the typographical union, and F. W. Saffery, librarian, Amusements and offering, 8:55, address, Rev. Wm. Shaw, state president.